

THE CHINOOK ADVANCE

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LOCAL NEWS

The Ladies Card Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. L. Robinson. Honors were shared by Mrs. Robinson and Miss F. Barros.

The Club will meet next week at the home of Mrs. L. Cooley.

The Misses Agness and Alberta Gingles and Mr. Nat Gingles from Cut Bank, Montana, spent the Christmas holidays with their mother and other relatives.

Donna Cooley entertained ten little friends in honor of Ruth and Iva Bangs who leave next week for their home in Drumheller. Games were played after which a very dainty lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Morrison left Wednesday for Calgary where they will spend the New Year's vacation with friends.

Mrs. Isaac Schmidt, who was home on Christmas leave, left on Sunday to return to his station at Calgary.

Mrs. Johnston of the Cereal district visited at the home of Mrs. Cooley this week.

NEAL CALLAGHAN'S CONDITION UNCHANGED

We regret that we are unable to report any great change for the better in the condition of Mr. Neal Callaghan, who was struck on the head by the propeller of a snowplane belonging to Mr. H. Ford.

According to Dr. Gordon Patton, presiding physician, Mr. Callaghan is suffering from a fractured skull, and, although not yet completely conscious, has a fair chance for recovery.

FARM FOR SALE

Tenders marked 40202 addressed to the Clerk of the Supreme Court, Court House, Calgary, Alberta, will be received up to 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Saturday the 9th day of January, A. D. 1943 for the purchase of the North Half of Section 23, Township 26, Range 8, West Fourth Meridian in the province of Alberta, Subject to the Reservations and Conditions in the present Certificate of Title, containing 318 acres more or less.

LOCATION

4 1-2 miles from Heathdale, 8 1-4 miles from the nearest school.

BUILDINGS

NONE.

PARTICULARS

320 acres -- 135 under cultivation.

Possession immediately

TERMS OF SALE

5 per cent with tender, 45 per cent on acceptance of tender, 52 per cent in one year and 25 per cent in two years from the date of acceptance, with interest at 6% per annum, possession to be given at the end of two calendar months after acceptance of tender. In all other respects standard condition of sale will apply.

Tenders must be accompanied with marked cheque for 5% of the offer, which will be returned in the event of non acceptance, envelopes to be marked "tender" no tender necessarily accepted. The upset price has been fixed.

For further particulars apply to McLaws and Company, Solicitors, 55 Canada Life Building, Calgary, Alberta.

DATED at the City of Calgary, in the Province of Alberta, this 23rd, day of November, A. D. 1942.

"T. M. Tweedie"
J. S. C.

CANADIAN NATIONAL

Winnipeg, December 16... For the Christmas and New Year's holiday's, the Canadian National Railways will operate extra train service between Winnipeg and Calgary, via Dauphin, Hombolt and Saskatoon, according to announcement made today by W. E. Dobbs, general passenger agent. Trains 9 and 10 will operate daily, instead of six days a week, in the period December 26 to January 4th inclusive.

Train No. 9 will leave Winnipeg at 9:45 p. m. Saturday December 26 and Saturday, January 2, reaching Dauphin at 4:15 Sunday morning and Saskatoon at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Leaving Saskatoon at 5:10 p. m. Sundays, trains will arrive in Calgary at 8:20 the following morning. Eastbound No. 10 will leave Calgary at 8 p. m. Sunday, December 27 and Sunday, January 3, reaching Saskatoon at 11 a. m. Monday and Winnipeg Tuesday at 7:30 a. m. Another train will leave Saskatoon 12:15 p. m. Sunday, December 27 and Sunday, January 3, reaching Dauphin at 1:50 a. m. Monday and Winnipeg at 7:30 the same morning.

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Phone 10

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A Bright And Happy
Christmas
And
Peace and Joy In The
New Year

Chinook Meat Market



Chinook United Church

Rev. R. W. French, B. A.

Service will be held in the United Church every Sunday 11:45 a.m.

Sunday School 10:30

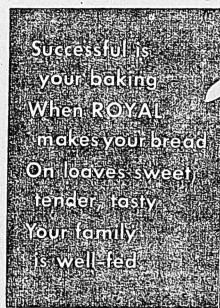
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And A
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Chinook Hotel
W.H. Barros Proprietor

The Air Training Plan

THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH Air Training Plan has entered upon its third year of operation. In December 1939 representatives of Britain, Australia, New Zealand and Canada met in Ottawa and final details of the Plan were arranged. In April of that same year, the first class commenced initial training at Toronto. Preliminary plans for such a training scheme had been discussed before the outbreak of the war, and much thought had been given to the matter by all the nations involved. However, we are told that even the most optimistic hopes of those who made the early arrangements have been surpassed by the success with which the Plan has progressed. Its magnitude is understood by most Canadians, for training is carried on in every province of the Dominion. The Prairies, with their excellent facilities for landing and fine atmospheric conditions have proved ideal for training purposes and in a great many Western communities there is now nothing unfamiliar in the constant hum of "planes in the sky, and in the presence of airmen from all parts of Canada and from abroad.

Rapid Growth Of R.C.A.F.

While the Air Training Plan is a joint enterprise, and the greatest thing of its kind yet undertaken in this war, it is essentially Canadian, and is administered by the R.C.A.F. More than eighty per cent. of the men trained are Canadians, and Canada bears two-thirds of the cost of the maintenance of the Plan. In 1939 the R.C.A.F. had only 23 officers and 3,400 men. In the past three years these numbers have increased rapidly and there are now 125,000 officers and men in the Force. Of these, 83,000 are engaged in instructional, administrative and maintenance work. There are 150 establishments connected with the Plan, of which 93 are training schools. Over two thousand buildings are in use for it, and there are stations in every province. The development of the scheme has made Canada a first class air power in the world today and has earned for her the title of "an airpower of Democracy." The scheme represents an effort of great magnitude, and gratitude and credit are due to those who have planned and developed it, for it has undoubtedly been an important factor in the successful defense of the Allied nations. Its great importance in the offensive now commencing is clear, and the success with which the Plan is functioning is one of the things on which we may base confidence and hope for victory.

Air Strength Is Important

Britain, Australia and New Zealand are sending the finest of their young men to be trained in the Commonwealth Air Training schools. Joined with the young men of our own country they are going overseas in steadily growing numbers, and are taking part in the air war in many sections of the world. Many are patrolling our own coasts. As we see Allied air power spreading over increasingly large areas, we have ample proof of the excellent results of the Commonwealth Air Training Plan. Already many of these airmen have given their lives, but there are others coming to take their place, and to make sure that the cause for which they died will not be lost. Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Longmore, who was Air Officer Commander-in-Chief in the Middle East in 1940 and 1941 has been visiting in Canada, and has told of some of the difficulties faced by the R.U.A.F. in the early years of the war. At that time he said, it was not unusual for the enemy to outnumber us four to one, and sometimes the odds were six to one. The importance of air strength has been demonstrated many times in the air war, and it is clear that strong air support is necessary for all military and naval operations. The Commonwealth Air Training Plan is providing the men for this, and we in Canada are fortunate to be able to play such an important part in its furtherance.

Just Civil War Debt

Loan To Finland Was Used To Fight The Government
The Government of Finland is reported to have made its usual offer of payment of debt instalment to the United States and that the Washington Administration has declined to accept it.

Much has been made of the so-called payment of "war debts" by the Finnish Government to the United States, and for a number of years prior to the outbreak of the present war, comparisons were made by the isolationist-pacifist, anti-British group in the United States to show what an honest rate the Finns were, and that the British were "welfare."

Finland, however, never had a war debt at all. One very good reason is that Finland did not exist as a separate government during the last war, being a province of Russia. After the Bolshevik revolution a Finnish government was established with the help of the Russian Bolsheviks. This government was smashed by the General Mannerheim who is now fighting with Germany against the Russians. He it was who obtained money from the United States to finance his campaign to smash the people's government and against the Russians from 1919 to 1921.

So far as it might be called a "war debt" it was not a war for democracy, but a civil war against the democracy of Finland, who are today, involved in the war against the people who gave them their freedom, and who would gladly get out of it if their masters would let them. They are in much the same boat as the Spanish people will be if General Franco were to openly participate in the war on the side of Germany.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

POPULATION OF INDIA

India's total area of 1,576,000 square miles, with a population of 388,600,000. One out of every five persons in the world is an Indian; 92,973,000 Indians—nearly one in every four of the total population are not British subjects but live in the Indian states which cover nearly two-fifths of the area of India and are not British territory. 295,827,000 Indians live in the 11 provinces of British India and are British subjects.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

PATENTS

AN OFFER TO EVERY INVENTOR. List of inventions and full information sent free. THE RAMSA COMPANY, Registered Patent Attorneys, 273 Bank Street, Ottawa, Canada.

Safest Driver



Really a record that all motorists should aim at is that attained by Harvey Kaster, newly acclaimed Ontario's safest driver. He has 930,900 miles in 17 years to his credit without a single accident. Kaster is a heavy truck driver.

National Food Tasters

Lord and Lady Woolton Pass Judgment On Wartime Dishes

Food Minister Lord Woolton and Lady Woolton quietly fulfill the office of national food tasters at their own table.

Lord Woolton made this known when, smiling the laughter lines in his chubby face into prominence, he disclosed he tried out Britain's new national loaf on his wife.

Lady Woolton, it should be said, would not for a minute claim the position of Food Taster No. 1, of course. She has never claimed to be a gastronome, and has no particular fancies about food, and is not finicky about what she eats. She is a good average eater of palatable food.

That, perhaps is why Lord Woolton, who does not enjoy such a good appetite as his wife, occasionally tries out a new turn of wartime food at his own table. Prior to the bread experiment he tried dried vegetables out on Lady Woolton.

Lady Woolton becomes inordinately curious whenever she gets into a kitchen—a good thing for a food minister's wife. Not long ago she went to a showroom where the equipment was something to be seen. But Lady Woolton became absorbed in the operations of a cook who was making a dish of stuffed liver and the stale bread and later, in the same cook's ingenuity in making applesauce take the place of sugar in apple pudding.

It Happens Sometimes

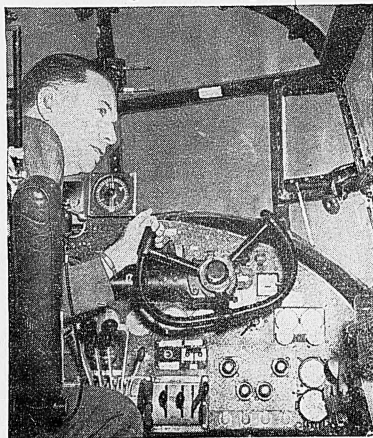
Five School Chums Meet As Marines In Pacific War

This is the saga of five buddies from Allentown, Pa., who went to war as marines last December 8. They started to elementary school together, played together and graduated from high school together in 1939.

When the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor the five lads became leather-necks. They trained together at Parris Island and later at New River, N.C.

Two of them went overseas and landed on Guadalcanal in July. Then, in November, they were standing on a sandy beachhead on the island watching a troop transport unload reinforcements. Up the beach, side by side, trudged the other three.

Long Distance Flyer



Clyde Pangborn, famed long-distance flyer, is pictured at the controls of a big Lancaster bomber. Pangborn is now a captain in R.A.F. ferry command. The huge Avro-Lancaster has a wingspread of 102 feet, an overall length of 69 feet, gross weight of 60,000 pounds and height of 20 feet.

NEWS of your Army

(By Capt. B. M. Pearce)

Seven sons in uniform and on active service is the proud record of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vautour of Ste. Anne de Kent, N.B. Three of their boys, William, Leo and Donat enlisted just two days after the declaration of war. Within one year, Gerard, Wilfred and Elol also enlisted together. The first three are now serving overseas; the other four are on duty in Canada. The seventh son, Eusebe, was recently accepted as a recruit after several previous attempts on his part had failed due to lack of education. The Canadian Legion War Services helped out with educational facilities and Pte. Eusebe is now completing his basic training at Fredericton, N.B. It was a happy day for this patriotic French Canadian family when he was accepted because they felt that the family had not contributed their all to the war effort until Eusebe too wore the King's uniform, along with his six brothers, two brothers-in-law and 14 cousins.

For each nursing sister on duty, two V.A.D.'s will be appointed to service in hospitals of the home war establishment, the total not to exceed 25 per cent. of the nursing strength. V.A.D.'s, as members of Voluntary Aid Detachments are called, now boast a strength of several thousand. They are sponsored by both the Canadian Red Cross and the St. John's Ambulance Corps. At church they must take courses in home nursing and first aid to qualify for service with the R.C.A.M.C. Since the outbreak of war many of them have served with distinction, not only as nursing aides but as ambulance drivers and attendants in Blood Donor Clinics across the country. They are recognized as invaluable in relieving the acute shortage of nurses throughout the country.

The Great War custom of awarding chevrons for long service in the Canadian Army will be readopted in this war. One silver chevron will be worn by officers and other ranks who enlisted during the first year of war, with a black one for each year of later service. The chevrons will be worn with the point up on the left breast of the uniform. They will be supplied free by the Army to active and home defence soldiers alike. They will not be worn overseas.

John N. Kennedy, 14-year-old New York city schoolboy who tried to enlist in the Canadian Army and the Royal Canadian Air Force, is back at his home, disappointed at being rejected because of his youth, but he has a letter of appreciation sent to him by the Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence. The boy hitch-hiked from New York, where his father Mr. Martin Kennedy is U.S. Congressman from the 18th Congressional District, to Montreal where he applied for enlistment. First he tried to join the famed Black Watch Regiment and later the R.C.A.F. He was turned down in both attempts because of his obvious youth. When the Defence Minister learned of the incident he wrote a commendatory letter to the lad.

A new training centre for the Canadian Provost Corps has been established at Camp Borden, with facilities for training 35 officers and up to 500 other ranks. At the new Centre, Provost personnel will learn how to be examples to their fellow soldiers, guide and assist them. Members of the Provost Corps are no longer just "military policemen." They are fully-trained infantrymen, ready at a moment's notice to pick up rifle and bayonet and stand up against any odds in the field.

Gasoline Substitute

Hair Tonic Is Just One Being Used in Europe

Hair tonic is just one of the many gasoline substitutes being used in Europe today, a London survey reveals. Utilization of the scalp vigorizer to propel an auto is attributed to a Frenchman. A Swedish baker collected alcohol for motor use from the fumes of his bakery. Grease also has been used to provide alcohol for autos, while city or compressed gas and gasoline, or fumes from burners stoked with briquettes are being used in South Africa.

AID TO RUSSIA FUND



The guns rumble 24 hours a day along the Russian front. They are pounding the lines at Stalingrad, they tear and burn the flesh of Russia's fighting men and women constantly along 2,000 miles of Soviet territory. That front, if transferred to this continent would extend almost from the Atlantic to the Pacific and cut deep into the most populous provinces of Canada.

The Russian front is, in terms of fighting conditions, the most difficult and largest of the Allied fronts. It is estimated that about 15,000,000 men are engaged on it, and the fighting in Russia's winter conditions is cruelly hard.

Millions have been wounded on this front, and in the rear, where guerrilla fighters are carrying on the battle, more millions are being shattered every day and night.

Soviet doctors are working tirelessly to repair the damage wrought by Nazi guns. A Russian front-line correspondent has reported that there are times in the height of battle when Soviet surgeons work at operating tables for three days on end. In these 72 hours a surgeon will treat 200 to 250 wounded men.

The Canadian Aid to Russia Fund is appealing for \$1,000,000 with which to dispatch some of the supplies that the Russian people need in such desperate measure.

This appeal is directed to all Canadians—workers in factories, physicians, surgeons and nurses in the laboratories and clinics, housewives, businessmen, everyone in Canada who appreciates the significance of the Russian front.

More destructive than rain to the flesh of automobiles is dew.



Develop New Plane

Large Flying Boat Is Still On The Secret List

Robert Perkins, Conservative, disclosed in the British House of Commons that Britain has a new plane in production, the York.

During a discussion of the future of British civil aviation after the war Perkins said "if air control would release 20 Yorks and 10 Sunderlands we could look Pan-American Airways in the face." The York is still on the secret list, but since Perkins could it with the Sunderlands it presumably is a large plane capable of transporting both passengers and freight.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

REDEEMING TIME

What is meant by redeeming time? It is to fill the hours full of the rightest freight, to fill them with the life of thought, feeling, action, as they pass.—Clarke.

Very few people are good economists of their fortune, and still fewer of their time.—Chesterfield.

No man can be provident of his time who is not prudent in the choice of his company.—Jeremy Taylor.

If one would be successful in the future, let him make the most of the present.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Look upon each day as the whole of life, not merely a section; and enjoy and improve the present without wishing through haste to rush on to another.—Ruskin.

To worry about tomorrow is to fail of devotion to the tasks of today, and so to spoil both days.—William Devitt Hyde.

JUST LIKE A FISH

A submarine, says the Christian Science Monitor, takes in water to dive, blows it out again to rise, just as a fish regulates the gas-content of its "swim bladder" for the same purpose.



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**FAREWELL
PARTY**

On the evening of Wednesday, December thirtieth, a large number of Chinook friends gathered at the School to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Barros, who will soon be leaving Chinook to take up residence on their farm at Bindloss.

The entertainment took the form of a whist drive, for which first prizes went to Mrs. Joyce Hogg and Mr. W. Gingle "Booby" Prizes went to Mrs. C.L. Withell and Mr. Jas. Aitken.

Following the whist, a delicious lunch was served by the ladies, and the crowd adjourned to the hall for dancing. The music was supplied by Miss Emily Zawasky and Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Butts.

During the course of the dance, Mr. L.D. Butts, on behalf of the people of Chinook and district, presented Mr. and Mrs. Barros with a set of Pyrex ware, as a parting gift and as a token of esteem from their many friends.



We Extend To You... Our
Customers and Friends...
our appreciation of your
co-operation in the past
and wish for you a

Merry Christmas

And

Happy New Year

G. E. Aitken & G. M. Aitken

Ottawa, December 21, 1942

EFFECTIVE NOW
BUTTER
IS RATIONED BY COUPON

**The ration is one-half pound of
butter per person, per week.**

On and after December 21st it is unlawful to sell or buy butter at retail without the surrender of the proper coupons.

Brown coupons, Nos. 1 to 11, "Spare 'C'" from Ration Book Number 1 now in the hands of the public, are to be used for this purpose.

Each Brown coupon, Nos. 1 to 11, "Spare 'C'" entitles the holder to buy one week's supply. Only

Brown coupons, Nos. 1 to 11 "Spare 'C'" can be used for the purchase of butter.

Each coupon becomes good on a definite date and expires on a definite date... and can be used only within its prescribed period, as given below.

The system for butter is different from that applying to Sugar, Coffee and Tea, where coupons have no specified expiry date.

**Dates When Butter Coupons Become
Useable—and Expire**

Coupon Number	Good for Purchase beginning on	Not Good for Purchase After
1	December 21	January 3
2	December 28	January 3
3 and 4	January 4	January 17
5 and 6	January 18	January 31
7 and 8	February 1	February 14
9 and 10	February 15	February 28
11	March 1	March 14

NOTE: Brown Coupon No. 2, "Spare 'C'" will be good for use only during a 7-day period—December 28 to January 3. Brown Coupons Nos. 1, and 3 to 11, "Spare 'C'", can be used within 2-week periods.

Coupons for butter, like those for Sugar, Coffee and Tea (the red and green coupons) must be detached by, or in the presence of any seller of butter or his employee. If desired, consumers may lodge their

butter coupon sheets with their retailers, so that the latter may detach the required coupons when delivering.

Temporary Ration Cards

All Brown Coupons on Temporary Ration Cards issued to members of the armed forces on leave, visitors to Canada, etc., are good after December 21.

**Butter Holdings Exceeding More Than One Pound per Person
Must Be Reported and Coupons Surrendered**

Consumers or non-registered boarding houses having in their possession the equivalent of more than one pound of butter for each person in the household, must before January 3, 1943, report their holdings to the nearest office of this Board. They must forward with their reports the number of butter coupons representing their butter holdings. If the quan-

tity of butter in possession of such persons represents more than the eleven brown coupons in Ration Book No. 1, which will be good for butter, they must in their reports undertake to detach from future ration books, additional butter coupons equal to the remainder of the surplus.

Special Notice to Retailers

On and after December 28, retailers must establish their right to purchase new supplies of butter from their suppliers by turning over to the supplier currently valid ration coupons equivalent to the poundage of butter ordered from the suppliers.

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